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| For: METHODS FOR MAKING 3-O-PROTECTED MORPHINONES AND 3-O-PROTECTED MORPHINONE DIENOL CARBOXYLATES | Attorney Docket No.: 6750-250-999 |

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING
REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371 IN THE
UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. § 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) ("Notification") mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on April 30, 2007 in connection with the above-identified application, Applicants submit herewith the following documents: (1) a copy of the Notification; (2) a Declaration executed by inventor Andreas Stumpf on August 20, 2007; and (3) a Petition for Extension of Time for two months, from June 30, 2007 to August 30, 2007 accompanied by the necessary fee.

Applicant also submits herewith a Power of Attorney by Assignee and Exclusion of Inventors Under 37 C.F.R. 3.71, executed on August 27, 2007 by Douglas Docherty, Director, Euro-Celtique S.A., as well as a copy of the Assignment referred to in the Power of Attorney.

This Assignment is concurrently submitted for recordation on even date herewith under separate cover.

It is requested that the enclosed documents be made of record in the file of the above identified application.

It is estimated that a fee of **\$ 130.00** is required for filing this Response. Please charge any required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 29, 2007



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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 08/04/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 08/04/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 08/04/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 08/04/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 08/04/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/04/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 08/04/2006
- Specification filed on 08/04/2006
- Claims filed on 08/04/2006
- Abstracts filed on 08/04/2006

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*Oath / Decl / Fee due
 6/30/07*

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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